

# GUIDING MONTANA BUSINESSES TO

# Success



Tarantino's has successfully operated their single location on the busy corner of Main Street and Rouse Avenue in Bozeman, Montana for several years, catering mainly to late-night crowds making their way through Bozeman's thriving mid-east Main bar district. Even though Tarantino's was selling a lot of individual slices of pizza after 10 p.m., they were missing a huge part of the pizza

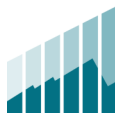
market: families and non-bar going adults. Sean Becker, Business Advisor with the Small Business Development Center at Montana Community Development Corporation, assisted Ryan Olson, owner of Tarantino's, with each phase of business development as he researched a second, more family-friendly location. Sean helped Ryan craft an informed business plan and they were able to successfully solicit an SBA loan to accompany the equity that Olson himself invested in the start-up location. Tarantino's Pizzeria is open and operating seven days a week on the busy North 7th Avenue, serving customers ranging from seniors to families to sports team on a regular basis in their newly remodeled facility that boasts plenty of parking, seating space, a convenient location, with beer and wine and gaming nearby.

*Delicioso!*

**SBDC Advisor:** Sean Becker

**Client:** Ryan Olson

**Impact:** Business Expanded  
Financing Received



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